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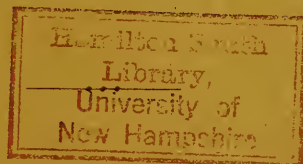
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Town Officers.

MODERATOR.

WILLIS BOWLES.

CLERK.

H. S. BOWLES.

TREASURER.

D. J. WHITCHER.

SELECTMEN.

WILLIS BOWLES.

A. M. BALL.

M. C. BOWLES.

SUPERVISORS.

L. G. HUNTRESS.

O. W. NOYES.

W. H. JUDD.

AUDITOR.

F. H. BOWLES.

Auditor's Report.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Feb. 16, 1901.	\$ 67 52
From Jesse Mardin, land redeemed	8 50
F. N. Valley, collector 1900	1 00
County pauper claim	37 66
Town clerk, dog license	23 40
George W. Taylor, collector	1230 56
Kirk Bowles, collector 1897	14 09
State Savings Bank tax	337 54
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	\$1720 27

EXPENDITURES.

State tax	\$238 00
County tax	283 10
Town library	16 80

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

H. B. Oakes, road agent	\$397 47
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SCHOOLS.

Town school order	\$374 40
Mary P. Young, services on school board	11 00
Mary P. Young, school supplies	29 29
F. H. Bowles, services on school board	1 50
F. H. Bowles, school supplies	75

Mary P. Young, use of team	\$ 1 00
Florence Bowles, services as treasurer of school board	1 50
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	\$419 44

PAUPERS.

Paid burial expenses of David Leclare	\$11 70
for Wilfred E. Gray	
G. F. Abbott, M. D.	\$38 25
Geo. Blaney, milk	2 50
Harrington & Co., groceries	4 33
F. E. Choate, groceries	3 98
Littleton Lumber Co., wood	2 50
	51 56
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	\$63 26

TOWN OFFICERS.

W. H. Lynch, services town clerk from Feb. 15 to Apr. 27	\$ 1 00
W. H. Lynch services as auditor for 1900	5 00
George W. Taylor, collector	30 72
Leon G. Huntress, services as supervisor	4 00
D. J. Whitcher, services as town treasurer	10 00
H. S. Bowles, services as town clerk	15 00
M. C. Bowles, services as 3rd. selectman	14 25
A. M. Ball, services as 2nd. selectman	17 55
A. M. Ball, services from Feb. 15 to March 12	2 10
Willis Bowles, services as selectman	19 50
Willis Bowles, services from Feb. 15 to March 12	3 00
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	\$122 12

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Courier Publishing Co., printing town report	\$14 00
Edson C. Eastman, invoice record book	\$6 00

Edson C. Eastman, town order book	1 25	
collector's book	75	
blanks	30	
	<hr/>	8 30
W. H. Lynch, recording births, deaths and marriages	2 00	
George W. Taylor, money overpaid	71	
P. P. Oakes, use of water trough	3 00	
A. M. Ball, use of water trough	3 00	
George W. Taylor, land bid off by town	7 00	
George E. Davenport, M. D., returning births, deaths	1 75	
H. S. Bowles, use of hall	5 00	
H. S. Bowles, recording births, deaths and marriages	1 75	
Willis Bowles, stationery, postage and express	1 30	
	<hr/>	\$47 81
Total expenditures for the year	\$1,588 01	
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1902	132 26	
	<hr/>	\$1,720 27

Recapitulation.

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$132 26
J. K. Corey, land bid off by town	7 17
Theodore Gordon, on execution	92 32
	<hr/> \$231 75

LIABILITIES.

Local fund	\$400 00
Liabilities above assets	168 25

The foregoing is presented as a true statement of cash received and expended for the past year, also of assets and liabilities of the town as presented by the selectmen and treasurer, whose accounts I find correct and properly vouched.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. BOWLES, AUDITOR.

Easton, February 15, 1902.

Road Agent's Account.

H. B. OAKES, AGENT.

February 15 to April 30, 1901

Feb. 16	H. B. Oakes, self and team, 4 hours	\$1 20	
Mar. 4	H. B. Oakes, self and team, 7 1-2 hours	2 25	
	A. T. Young, labor	4 95	
	O. E. Judd, 24 1-2 hours	3 67	
	Wm. Lane, 10 1-2 hours	1 57	
	J. B. Davis, 12 hours	1 80	
	O. W. Noyes, 10 hours	1 50	
	H. B. Oakes, 14 hours	2 10	
Apr.	H. B. Oakes, self and team, 9 1-2 hours	2 85	
	Israel Jones, 5 hours	75	
	J. B. Davis, 8 hours	1 20	
	H. B. Oakes, 16 hours	2 40	
April 23	M. C. Bowles, 1 day	1 50	
	C. H. Merrill, timber	2 50	
	C. N. Judd, 1 hour	15	
	A. M. Ball, 10 1-2 hours	1 57	
			\$31 96

May 1 to June 29, 1901.

May	Harrison Day, 11 hours	\$1 65	
	Byron Clark, 1-2 day	75	
June	W. D. Brooks, self and 3 horses, 8 days	32 00	
	H. B. Oakes, self and 3 horses, 8 days	30 00	
	A. K. Judd, 6 days	9 00	
	A. K. Judd, oxen, 1-4 day	37	
	Victor Revoir, 7 days	10 50	
	W. P. Ball, 8 days	16 00	
	Willie Judd, 4 days	6 00	
	O. W. Noyes, 5 days	7 50	
	Carl Streeter, 2 1-2 days	3 75	

June	O. E. Judd, 2 days	\$ 3 00	
	Hiram Parker, 2 days	3 00	
	A. M. Ball, 3 days	4 50	
	Orville Gordon, 3 days	4 50	
	Harrison Day, 3 days	4 50	
	Tildon Day, 3 days	4 50	
	H. K. Noyes, 1200 feet bridge plank	9 60	
	Sawing stringers	50	
	International Paper Co., timber for bridges	1 00	
June 15	H. B. Oakes, with team, 1 day	3 00	
	Victor Revoir, 7 1-4 days with team	21 75	
	H. S. Bowles, repairing road machine	85	
	H. B. Oakes, 2 days	3 00	
	Harrison Day, timber	1 00	
	D. J. Whitcher, bridge plank and hem- lock timber	7 11	
		—	\$189 33
June 29 to August 31, 1901.			
July	Victor Revoir, 3 days with team	\$9 00	
	H. B. Oakes, 1-4 day with team	75	
	H. B. Oakes, 1-2 day	75	
Aug.	Victor Revoir, 1 1-2 days with team	4 50	
	H. B. Oakes, 6 hours with team	1 80	
	H. B. Oakes, 1-2 day	75	
	D. J. Whitcher, 186 feet bridge plank	1 86	
		—	\$19 41
August 31 to September 28, 1901.			
Sept. 2	H. B. Oakes, self, team and man, 3-4 day	\$3 37	
	Orville Gordon, 3-4 day	1 13	
	H. B. Oakes, self and team, 6 1-4 days	18 75	
	Harry Noyes, 4 1-2 days	6 75	
	H. B. Oakes, timber	50	
	D. J. Whitcher, bridge plank	22 95	
	Harrison Day, labor, July and August	9 45	
	Harrison Day, labor	2 77	

H. K. Noyes, bridge plank	1	89	
C. H. Merrill, timber	1	25	
	<hr/>		\$68 81

September 29 to December 13, 1901.

Oct.	H. B. Oakes, self and team, 4	1-4	
	days	\$12	75
	H. B. Oakes, self 3	1-2	days 5 25
	George Cross, 7 days	10	50
	A. K. Judd, 2 days	3	00
	W. H. Judd, 2 days	3	00
	H. B. Oakes, 149 feet hemlock logs for		
	river bridge	7	45
	D. J. Witcher, 928 feet plank,	9	28
	1209 feet for stringers	12	00
Oct.	Harrison Day, labor	5	17
	Harrison Day, 620 feet plank	6	20
Nov. 6	H. B. Oakes, 4 hours with team	1	20
	Harry Noyes, 2	1-2	hours 37
Dec. 5	H. B. Oakes, 3	1-2	hours with team 1 05
		<hr/>	\$77 22

December 13, 1901 to February 15, 1902.

Dec. 17	H. B. Oakes, self and 1 horse, 7	1-2	
	hours	\$1	68
	C. H. Merrill, self and oxen	1	00
	A. K. Judd, 1	1-2	hours 22
	H. B. Oakes, 3 hours	45	
	J. R. Noyes, 1 hour	15	
1902.			
Jan.	H. B. Oakes, 4 hours	60	
	A. K. Judd, 2	1-2	hours 38
	O. E. Judd, 18	3-4	hours 2 81
Feb. 3	Arthur Pease, 3 hours	45	
	A. M. Ball, 2 hours	30	
	C. H. Merrill, self and oxen, 5 hours	150	
	C. H. Merrill, self and 4 horses	1	20
		<hr/>	\$10 74

Library Trustees.

We have now three hundred and eighty-two volumes in our library, and shall in a few weeks get our new ones for this year.

The books are very well read, the circulation for the past year being three hundred and seventy-five.

Financially, we had on hand Feb , 1901	\$	13	
Received, town order		16	80
Fines			20
		———	\$17 13
Expended, for books	\$15	81	—
Express			60
Postage			10
		———	\$16 51
Leaving at present			62
		———	\$17 13

WILLIS BOWLES,	}	Trustees.
HENRY K. NOYES,		
HIRAM S. BOWLES,		

School Report.

ROLL OF HONOR.

First Term.—Eva I. Merrill, Charles Pease, Bennie Bowles, Edwin Bowles, Byron Oakes, Ollie L. Bowles, Walter Lewis, Albert Lewis, Earl R. Brown, Violette Lewis, Gladys Bowles.

Second Term.—Maud Bowles, Gladys Bowles, Eva I. Merrill, Fred Ball, Perry Ball, Charley Pease, Byron Oakes, Eddie A. Bowles, Ollie Bowles, Albert Lewis, Walter Lewis, Alice Shabbott, Ameli Shabbott.

The statistical table shows the names of the teachers, the number of weeks, wages, etc.

A private school of ten weeks was held in Dist. No. 1. We are very glad of this evidence of interest shown in the cause of education. What a pity it is we cannot have a school every winter, so that every child can attend, although their parents may not feel able to pay their tuition.

MARY P. YOUNG.

Feb. 15, 1902.

Statistical Table.

No. of school.	Term	Teacher	Weeks	Scholars	Reading	Spelling	Writing	Arithmetic	Geography	History	Physiology	Grammar	Wages per month
No. 1	Spring	Bertha M Whitney	10	17	16	16	13	13	10		9	8	\$22 00
	Fall	Una A Brooks	11	20	20	19	20	20	12		9		22 00
No. 2	Spring	Elizabeth A Parker	10	13	13	13	13	13	6		6	4	20 00
	Fall	Mabelle S Smith	10	10	10	10	10	6	4		4		20 00
No. 3	Spring	Blanch E Noyes	10	8	8	8	7	7	5		12	12	19 00
	Fall	Blanch E Noyes	10	13	13	13	13	10	10		12	12	20 00

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

School order	\$374 40
From former treasurer	2 97
From S. J. Pease, tuitions	15 00
	<hr/> \$392 37

EXPENDITURES.

SCHOOL NO. 1.

Bertha M. Whitney, teaching 10 weeks	\$35 00
C. L. Thayer, boarding teacher 10 weeks	20 00
Una A. Brooks, teaching 11 weeks	38 50
C. L. Thayer, boarding teacher 11 weeks and building fires	23 50
Mary P. Young, glass	65
F. H. Bowles, 4 cords wood	5 00
F. H. Bowles, cleaning school house	2 00
F. H. Bowles, setting glass and patching school house	1 10
	<hr/> \$125 75

SCHOOL NO. 2.

Elizabeth A. Parker, teaching 9 3-5 weeks	\$28 80
A. T. Young, boarding teacher 9 3-5 weeks	19 20
Mabel Smith, teaching and board 10 weeks	50 00
Mary P. Young, 2 brooms	50
Mary P. Young, glass and setting	1 00
Mary P. Young, plank, glass, repairs and clean- ing	3 72
Mary P. Young, postage and conveying teacher	1 25
	<hr/> \$104 47

SCHOOL NO. 3

Blanche E. Noyes, teaching and board 10 weeks	\$50 00	
Henry Noyes, wood	6 00	
Henry Noyes, cleaning school house	2 00	
Henry Noyes. door steps and glass	1 00	
Blanche E. Noyes, teaching and board 10 weeks	47 50	
	<hr/>	\$106 50
Unexpended balance		55 65
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		\$392 37

FLORENCE BOWLES, TREASURER.

In looking over the accounts as presented by the school board and treasurer I find them correct and properly vouched.

A. M. BALL, AUDITOR.

Births Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex	Living or Still-b	No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, &c	Color	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
1901													
Jan 22	Delia Chabott	F	7	8th	w	Charles Chabott	Lydia Blair	Easton	Laborer	Canada	Canada	30	35
Jan 29	— Downer	F		1st		Harry Downer	Florence Gordon	"	Lumberman	Middlebury Vt	Easton, Vt	24	19
Feb 15	— Rowe	F		3d		Edward Rowe	Mary Ricker	"	Clerk	Corinda, Vt	Corolon, Vt	20	31
Apr 30	— Dion	M		5th		Thomas Dion	Delaine Gorries	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	33	27
Oct 13	A H Shepherd	M		1st		Charles Shepherd	Jessie V Noyes	"	Farmer	Monroe	Easton	24	21
Dec 14	— Jones	F		3d		Herbert F Jones	Flora I Belford	"	Farmer	Thorniton	Lyme	32	35

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. S. BOWLES, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents	Occupation of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan 1	Franconia	Elza M Cooley Francella Brooks	Easton Franconia	37 27	W	Farmer Teacher	Easton Rochester	Alonzo Cooley Emeline Wallace	Farmer Housekeeper	1st	F P Wormwood Clergyman Franconia
Mar 16	Franconia	Colburn F Valley Emma D Ball	Easton Landaff	23 21		Engineer Teacher	Lunenburg Vt Landaff	Mattie J Wallace Frank N Valley Sophia Clifford	Housekeeper Lumberman Housekeeper	1st	T C Craig Clergyman Franconia

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H. S. BOWLES, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date—1901.	Name and Surname of the deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married, or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.						Father.	Mother.		
Jan.	30 Della Chabott				F	W			Canada	Canada	Charles Chabott	Lydia Behar
Feb.	18 David LeClare	55		Canada	M	W		Woodsmen	Canada	Canada	John LeClare	Jessie King
April	6 Allie LaCross	27	8	So. Brewer, Me				Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Daniel Howe	Phoebe Eaton
April	6 Julia A Drew	15		Benton	F	F			Benton			

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H. S. BOWLES, Town Clerk.

